

CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
CENTRAL VALLEY REGION

11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
concerning

TENTATIVE WASTE DISCHARGE REQUIREMENTS
FOR
COUNTY OF PLACER DEPARTMENT OF FACILITY SERVICES
FORESTHILL LANDFILL
CLASS III LANDFILL
POST-CLOSURE MAINTENANCE
AND MONITORING
PLACER COUNTY

The Foresthill Landfill is a 4.2-acre closed, unlined landfill on Patent Road off Todd Valley Road, approximately two miles southwest of Foresthill. The landfill operated from 1966 to 1983, accepting household waste, construction debris, and green waste. The facility ceased accepting wastes in 1983 and was closed with a soil cover in 1984. The landfill was re-capped with soil in 1996 after erosion damaged the original cover. Groundwater monitoring has not shown any impacts from the landfill and groundwater quality at the site is good, with total dissolved solids (TDS) and chloride generally detected below 150 mg/L and 30 mg/L, respectively.

Regional Board staff proposes to request the Regional Board to approve tentative revised waste discharge requirements (WDRs) that prescribe updated requirements for post-closure maintenance and detection monitoring of the landfill.

A **formal** public hearing concerning this matter will be held during the Regional Board meeting which is scheduled for:

DATE: 28 and 29 April 2005
TIME: 8:30 a.m.
PLACE: 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200,
Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114

The designated parties for this hearing are as follows:

- Staff of Central Valley Regional Board
- County of Placer Department of Facility Services

Only designated parties will have these rights: to call and examine witnesses; to introduce exhibits; to cross-examine opposing witnesses; to impeach any witness; and to rebut the evidence against him or her. All other persons wishing to testify or provide comments are interested persons and not designated parties. Such interested persons may request status as a designated party for purposes of this hearing by submitting such request in writing to the Board no later than **30 March 2005**. The request must explain the basis for status as a designated party and in particular how the person is directly affected by the discharge.

The tentative revised WDRs were issued on 25 February 2005. Persons wishing to comment on this noticed hearing item must submit testimony, evidence, if any, and/or comments in writing to

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the Regional Board no later than **30 March 2005**. Written evidence or comments submitted after **30 March 2005** will not be accepted and will not be incorporated into the administrative record if doing so would prejudice any party.

All designated parties and interested persons may speak at the Regional Board meeting, and are expected to orally summarize their written submittals. Oral testimony and cross examination will be limited in time by the Board Chair.

Anyone having questions on the tentative WDRs for the Foresthill Landfill should contact John Moody at (916) 464-4641. Interested parties may download the proposed Order and related documents from the Regional Board's Internet website at <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/tentative>. If you do not have Internet access, these documents may be inspected and copied at the Regional Board's office at 11020 Sun Center Drive, #200, Rancho Cordova, California 95670-6114 weekdays between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. by appointment.

The procedures governing Regional Water Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq. and is available upon request. Hearings before the Regional Water Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11500 et seq. The procedures may be obtained by accessing http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/water_laws. Information on meeting and hearing procedures is also available on the Regional Board's website at http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/centralvalley/board_meetings/mtgprocd.html or by contacting any one of the Board's offices. Questions regarding such procedures should be directed to Ms. Janice Tanaka at (916) 464-4839.

The hearing facilities will be accessible to persons with disabilities. Individuals requiring special accommodations are requested to contact Ms. Janice Tanaka at (916) 464-4839 at least 5 working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.

Please bring the above information to the attention of anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

Original signed by

Jack E. Del Conte, Assistant Executive Officer

25 February 2005